

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

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460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

NOTICE

DOCKET: 02-01073

IN RE: BellSouth Telecommunications Inc. Tariff to Introduce SWA Pricing Flexibility-Tariff Number 2002256

DATE: January 30, 2003

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth") filed the document at issue in this case, the *Tariff to Introduce SWA Pricing Flexibility* (the "Tariff"), on September 20, 2002. The Tariff has a proposed effective date of October 14, 2002. The CLEC Coalition filed a *Petition to Suspend Proposed Tariff and Convene a Contested Case* on October 7, 2002.¹ The Consumer Advocate and Protection Division of the Office of the Attorney General ("CAPD") filed a *Petition to Intervene* on October 9, 2002.

During the October 7, 2002 Authority Conference, the panel assigned to this docket unanimously voted to suspend the Tariff for thirty (30) days. At the October 21, 2002 Authority Conference, the panel convened a contested case, appointed General Counsel or his designee to act as Pre-Hearing Officer to prepare the case for a hearing, granted the CAPD's request to intervene, and suspended the Tariff for an additional ninety (90) days.

Consistent with the Directors' decisions, the Pre-Hearing Officer hereby establishes the following procedural schedule:

Procedural Schedule

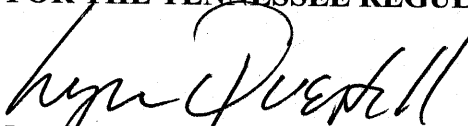
- Each party shall file a proposed Issues List no later than **Thursday, February 6, 2003**.
- The Pre-Hearing Officer will issue the Issues List on **February 10, 2003**.

¹ At present, the members of the CLEC Coalition include AT&T Communications of the South Central States, Inc. and Birch Telecom, Inc.

- Discovery Requests shall be filed with the Authority and served on all parties no later than **Friday, February 14, 2003**. Discovery Requests shall conform to Tenn. Comp. R. & Reg. 1220-1-2-.11(5).
- The Pre-Hearing Officer will hold a Status Conference on **Tuesday, February 18, 2003**, following the regularly scheduled Authority Conference, in the Hearing Room on the ground floor at 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee. Participants with disabilities who require special accommodations or alternate communications formats should contact the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ADA-EEO/AA Coordinator/Officer, 460 James Robertson Parkway, Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505 or 1-800-342-8359 so that reasonable accommodations can be made.
- Responses to Discovery Requests shall be filed with the Authority and served on all parties no later than **Monday, February 24, 2003**.
- Pre-filed Direct Testimony shall be filed with the Authority and served on all parties no later than **Monday, March 3, 2003**.
- Pre-filed Rebuttal Testimony shall be filed with the Authority and served on all parties no later than **Monday, March 10, 2003**.
- Hearing Dates will be announced later.

All filings shall be served by hand-delivery, facsimile or e-mail on the date of filing.

FOR THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY:


Lynn Questell, Pre-Hearing Officer

cc: Parties of Record
(original in docket file)